

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY SINGAPORE  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PDIP  
SUBJ: EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES IN JIDDA

REF: SINGAPORE 0434

1. IN RESPONSE TO YOUR CABLE THE PARENT'S COOPERATIVE SCHOOL (PCS), ORIGINALLY DEVELOPED IN 1952 BY TRANS WORLD AIRLINES AND THE U.S. GOVERNMENT FOR EMPLOYEES' CHILDREN, HAS EVOLVED INTO A COMPLETE AMERICAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL OWNED AND OPERATED BY SAUDI ARABIAN AIRLINES. PCS IS AN AMERICAN CURRICULUM SCHOOL WITH GRADES KINDERGARTEN THROUGH NINE. SCHOOL YEAR IS SIMILAR TO NORMAL STATESIDE SCHOOL YEAR. FEES FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 1977-78 ARE: TUITION KINDERGARTEN DOLS 1,989; TUITION GRADES 1-9 DOLS 3,977, REGISTRATION FEE (EACH NEW STUDENT) DOLS 14, NINTH GRADE APTITUDE TEST FEE DOLS 23, NEW STUDENT BUILDING SURCHARGE DOLS 2,557, RETURNING STUDENT BUILDING SURCHARGE DOLS 1,278. IF FURTHER INFORMATION NEEDED WRITE FRANK COCKRELL, SCHOOL SUPERINDENDENT, PARENST' COOPERA-

TIVE SCHOOL, PCS CC100 SAUDIA, P.O. BOX 167, JEDDAH, SAUDI ARABIA.

2. BECAUSE OF THE COST OF THE FEES AT PCS AND THE FACT THAT SAUDI ARABIAN SCHOOLS TEACH ONLY IN ARABIC, MANY OF THE EMBASSIES IN JIDDA HAVE STARTED THEIR OWN SCHOOLS IE.

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BRITISH, JAPANESE, CHINESE, IRANINAN, INDIAN. CHILDREN IN GRADES 10 THROUGH 12 ATTEND SCHOOLS IN EUROPE A OR THE U.S. WEST

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